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#### FEMALE WRITERS.

The International Press Federation Organized Vesterday Evening. The women journalists of the United tates, now assembled in Washington, held another meeting at Willard's vester day and completed the organization of scriety to be known as the Woman's In-ternational Press Federation. Several of the ladies objected to the lengthy title, but it was adopted after some debate. The constitution was read and adopted by

No objection was made to any of the articles until the clause defining the qualifications. For membership was reached: It limited membership in the Federation to woman's press associations that had been in existence a year or more, and a majority of whose active members were engaged in journalist'e work, and also that literary clubs were barred from admission.

admission.

This clause provoked a storm of objections. Many of the ladies arguing, while many ladies engaged in literary work were not connected with newspapers, they were still valuable members of the association. A motion was made to strike out the objectionable works, which was carried. The rest of the constitution was adopted without opposition.

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Besolutions were adopted commenting the work of the Woman's National Press Association of this city.

A committee was appointed to secure members for the International Federation among woman writers who were not connected with any press club or journalistic association. A motion to shold the annual convention of the Federation in Boston next October during the meeting of the W. C. T. U. was laid on the table. An endeavor will be made by the Washington delegates to have the convention held here.

#### CONDEMNING THEIR LEADERS.

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The Maryland Republican Association Opposed to the Civil Service.

At a meeting of the Maryland Republican Association at the Nationalists Hall last night, the following resolutions were submitted by President Bond and unanimously adopted by the association:

\*\*Resolved\*\*, That this association regards with its displeasure and disapproval the action of Mesers. Louis E. (McComas, Sydney E. Mudd and Henry Stockbridge, 1r., for their advocary, and especially Mr. McComas' side in the passage, of the appropriation by the House of Representatives to continue the Civil Service Commission with increased appropriations and power as against the public sentiment of the American People, eminently expressed by the press throughout the country, who halst upon Department examinations for admission to the public service without the prelude and incubus of the Civil Service Commission as it now exists.

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Resolved. That this be given to the press for Remarks were made by several of the members, expressing their individual displeasure at the action taken by the Maryland Republicau members of Congress in favor of the increased appropriation given to the Civil Service Commission.

A DESERTER CAPTURED.

He Robbed the Carpenter of a Milli Late yesterday afternoon Detectives Mat tingly and Gallaher arrested Fred J. Eg-

tingly and Gallaher arrested Fred J. Eggleston, formerly a sergeant in Company D. Fifteenth Infantry. In 1888 he deserted from Fort Randall, Dakota, and took with him \$1,600 belonging to James Bush, the post carpenter. He prevailed upon Bush and his wife to attend a ball one evening, and while they were away from home he took the money.

When arrested Bush had on a shirt, on the front of which in India ink was found the name Charles Washington. A silver badge, evidently belonging to some gunning and fishing club, and on which was inscribed the name "Nockabout Club," was found in Eggleston's pocket. This badge also belongs to Charles Washington, but how he came in possession of either the shirt or badge is not known.

Eggleston was turned over to the military authorities at the Washington Barracks.

For the Relief of Fireman Newman's Family. The entertainment at Willard Hall last for the benefit of Fireman Newnight for the benefit of Fireman Newman's family was a great success in every way. An immense number of tickets had been sold, and the hall was crowded to its utmost capacity. The exercises were opened by an overture from "Said Pasha," after which Commissioner Douglass made a feeling address, in which he told of the services of the dead fireman. An interesting programme was then given, consisting of musical selections by the Washington Mandolin, Ranjo and Guitar Club, the Philharmonic Quartette, Prof. Weber's orchestra, Mr. H. Frederick Robert, baritone, and Madame Mamie Roehm, seprano.

A Lease on Atlantic Park. The Y. M. C. A. will probably have the use of Atlantic Park for the next four use of Atlantic Park for the next four years, if the terms of an agreement pending prove satisfactory. By the latter the association buys all the improvements, including fences and stands, and assumes the lease which was given to the Atlantic Association baseball team last year. Work will be commenced at once, the directors intending to level the ground and sow in grass. It is proposed to have a first-class baseball ground, a running track, space for jumping, pole vaniting, hammer throwing and all other outdoor athletic sports. Two hundred lockers will be placed under the grand stand. An experienced track man will also be engaged.

Scores at the Butts. Scores at the Butts.

The following scores were made last night at target practice by Company A, Eighth Battallion, D. C. N. G.;
Captain J. A. Perry, 23, 26; Lieutenant P. B. Mercdith, 17, 12; Private Williams, 16, 21; Private Howard, 17, 13; Private O. Halland, 14, 11; Private Lloyd, 24, 26; Sergeant Piper, 16, 11; Sergeant Addison, 19, 15; Private Gibson, 19, 13; Private Preston, 15, 19, and Sergeant Turner, 13, 13, At 500 and 600 yards.

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Dr. H. Mozley, Atlanta, Ga. RECHABITE NOTES.

The Work in a Flourtshing Condition-Anacostia was a grand affair. Every tent the District was represented.

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High Secretary Mahoney organized Resene Tent, No. 0, Saturday night in Ettricks, Va., with over thirty charter members. Grand Departy Ruler Eller organized Washington Tent, No. 6, Saturday evening. Nearly thirty names were on the application for charter. High Chief Ruler De Yoe was present.

Past High Representative W. B. Marche, who is visiting in Virginia, ordered a set of material for organizing a tent Tuesday, and expects to organize in Roanoke before his return.

High Chief Ruler De Yoe and High Secretary Mahoney visited Columbia and Heber Tents Monday evening and Cammack and Anacostia Tents Tuesday evening.

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High Chief Ruler DeYoc received the following dispatch Wednesday:

WATERLOO, N. Y., Feb. 25, 1891

WATERLOO, N. Y., Feb. 20, 1801
F. E. De Yee:
Your house has burned. Furniture mostly saved.
He left on the first train for bome. Information received since his return is that his house and furniture were totally despected.

his house and furniture were totally destroyed.

High Secretary Mahoney, Grand Deputy Ruler Eller, Grand Guard Harrison and Grand Tent Representative George E. Smith visited Potomae Tent. No. 89, Wednesday evening. They found the tent jubilant over the success of their recent fair.

George C. Thompson Tent, No. 3, and Potomae Tent, No. 89, have passed resolutions of sympathy with High Chief Ruler De Yoe in the loss of his house.

Anacostia Tent, No. 188, will hold a temperance meeting in the M. E. Church, Anacostia, Sunday at 7:30 o'clock. All members of the order are invited to attend in regalia.

Anacostia Tent, No. 138, added four to their membership Tuesday evening. They now number 108.

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Cammack Tent Juniors, with their Knickerbocker suits, attracted much attention in the parade Monday.

The inclement weather Thursday night prevented the organization of George C. Thompson Tent (junior). Weather permitting, it will be organized next Thursday night.

High Secretary Mahoney will call a meeting in Good Templars' Hall within two weeks to organize a ladies' tent.

Past High Representative R. W. Johnson will organize a junior tent in Georgetown before the end of this quarter.

Arrangements are being perfected to organize a ladies' tent at the corner of Fourth and G streets northwest.

Mr. W. H. Overby has secured several signers for a primary tent near the Second Baptist Church.

Heber Tent, No. 19, conferred the second degree on two members Monday night.

Mashington Tent. No. 6, has elected the following officers: Chief Ruler, S. Swestman; deputy ruler, A. F. Burgess; tast chief ruler, J. A. Sowder; recording secretary, Abner Burgess; linancial secretary, Edward Boyce; levite, Forest Dickey; inside guard, J. D. Hichew; outside guard, John Wagner; treasurer, James Vermillion.

John Wagner, the Committee of the Commit

SPRING SUGGESTIONS.

Avoid draughts and sudden changes of

temperature.

Do not discard your warm winter clothing too soon. It is better to suffer a little inconvenience than to take cold.

Remember that one is especially liable to contract a bad cold or chill at this season of the year.

A cough or cold contracted between the seasons is the most annoying kind, and may last through the summer.

If you feel a cough or a cold coming on, take a drink of pure whiskey at once. It will keep the blood in circulation and is the best preventive against the diseases of the season.

the season.

Remember that only pure whiskey should be taken. Duffy's Pure Mait Whiskey has the strongest recommendations from the leading scientists and medical men. It is the only standard medicinal whiskey. Take no other from your druggist or grocer.

Honoring Longfellow's Memory Longfellow's memory was honored by the teachers and pupils of the Capitol Hill High School last night. Principal Sites and Miss Garrigues and Mr. Kramer, the teachers in literature, planned the ex-creises. The excellent programme was as follows:

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Duet, "Beware, Take Care," Misses Judson and Folks. Essay, "The Life and Works of Longfellow," Miss Mahr. Solo, "Arrow and Song," Miss Dudley. Oration, "Longfellow's Place in the Hearts of His People," Mr. Shealey. Solo, "The Bridge, Miss Davidson. Essay, "The Bridge, Miss Davidson. Essay, "The Poet's Home," Miss Hobgood. Recitation, "Mr. Finney's Turnip," Mr. McNeely, Recitation, "There Was a Little Girl," Miss Alice Yingling. Song, "The Rainy Day," Miss Swingle. Recitation, "A Longfellow Daydream," Miss Blandford. Boy Gice Club, Messrs. Tulloch, Buckler, Edwards, McKeldin, Talbert and Grant, Principal Sites stated in an address that the appropriation of \$75,000 for the new building was almost assured.

Dr. Godding's Advice. The last lecture of the Y. M. C. A. Feb uary course was delivered last night by ruary course was delivered last night by Dr. W. W. Godding of St. Elizaboth's Asylum upon "The Mistakes of Young Men." The Doctor urged his hearers to avoid the use of alcoholic stimulants, and spoke of the evil effects of the social glass as shown in the lives of Burns and Byron. "When I go into the prisons and asylums," said the lecturer, "and see the mental and physical wrecks caused by drink. I come to the conclusion that alcohol is the devil's own food." In speaking of the mental training of young men, Dr. Godding advised them to read more of Hawthorne and less of authors of the Rider Haggard class.

Preparing for Emancipation Day. C. H. Watson was chairman and W. H. lones secretary, at the meeting of the committee to arrange for the twentycommittee to arrange for the twentyninth anniversary of the emancipation
of slaves in the District. It was decided
to abolish the street parade and instead request the ministers to assemble in their
respective churches April 16, 1891, at the
hour of 11 o'clock for devotional exercises to continue for one hour. Hon,
John M. Langston will deliver an oration
at Lincoin Park, and a banquet is to be
held in the evening at some public hall,
the proceeds to be donated to the Homes
for the Friendless Girls and Indigent Colored Children.

A Cornet Band Organized The Tenallytown Cornet Band com pleted its organization at the reside Mr. F. W. Parks last night. The following officers were elected: President, J. L. Cannon: leader, Professor S. C. Phinney; sergeant, G. M. Neely; trensurer, T. F., Riely: secretary, I. E. Shoemaker, The leader, Professor Phinney, was the organizer of the National Guard Drum Cerus.

Stenographers Organize. The ladies and gentlemen composing the Stenographers' Association held an enthusiastic meeting at 923 F street north-west last night. William Frocker was temporary president. A constitution was adopted after some discussion. The asso-clation adjourned until next Friday, when officers will be elected.

Had Ris Pockets Picked. H. H. Finley, a guest at the National Hotel, had a leather case picked from his pocket in the rotunda of the hotel last evening. The case contained \$20 in cash, some railroad passes, a pair of gold-inamed spectacles, and two checks, one for \$105, the other for \$57. WEDDED A NEGRO COACHMAN.

ties Ella Tice's Strange Infatuation Makes an Uproar in Williamsbridge. From the New York Times, 21th. Miss Ella Tice of Williamsbridge, white and said to be pretty, has startled the neighborhood up there by running away

from her home and marrying a colored coachman named James Randolph.

Miss Tice is the daughter of the late Isaac R. Tice, inventor of the machine for gauging whisky, which is now in use by the Government. Afterher father's death her mother married Thomas Hyde, a Westchester County politician, and the family went to live on the Roston road, about a mile from the railroad station.

Mr. Hyde is fond of playing cards, and as Randolph is one of the best players in the neighborhood, Mr. Hyde used to have him at his house to play. In that way the coachman got acquainted with Miss Tice, and they met frequently afterward at the Baptist church, which both attended regularly. Randolph is employed by Mr. Stickney, a Broadway merchant, who lives out there.

The coachman got into the way of going to and from church with Miss Tice until the neighbors began to talk about fit. Then Mr. Hyde interfered and drove the negro out of his house. Miss Tice protested, and Wednesday night she left her home to take refuge with an uncle of hers who is a Justice of the Peace at Fordham. On the road she met Randolph, and went with him to the house of a newsdealer named Skinerton, who lives just back of the Williamsbridge Station.

A little later Randolph and Miss Tice, with Skinerton and his wife, went to the house of the Rev. F. M. Lamb, pastor of the Paptist Church, where Randolph and Miss Tice were married. The town boys followed them to Skinerton's house and gave them a charivari.

The next day there was so much excitement in town over the marriage that Randolph is speared. He was seen in Williamsbridge yesterday, but not with his bride. She remains alone at the Skinertons.

Mr. Hyde says he will have the marriage annulled on the ground that Miss from her home and marrying a cole coachman named James Randolph.

Mr. Hyde says he will have the marriage annulled on the ground that Miss Tice is not of age and her parents had not consented to the marriage. Mr. Lamb is censured by the townspeople for not insisting upon the consent of the parents before he performed the ceremony.

Fads and Fancies.

From the New York Recorder. sa shoe and stocking stool. It is a low, generously scooped out wooden seat, three-legged, very heavy and made of black oak or ebony. It is used in the country from which it comes as a perch on which to sit while donning and doffing one's stock-ings, and has been imported for similar use. It is more than probable that it will be adopted for "cooing and wooing" pur-poses.

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A preety dancing school frock for a young girl is made from French gray cashmere and white corded silk. The skirt is full and plain, with a deep hem. The waist is shirred on the shoulders and opens back and front over a V-shaped vest that is laced down thefront. The fullness of the gray waist is gathered to give a slender effect at the waist line, and the skirt is attached to the waist with several rows of shirring, giving a princess effect. A bias piece of silk borders the V and is gathered full over the shoulders to give the fashnonable high effect.

The heels on the walking shoes of fashionable women have never been so low and solid-looking as they are now. They are more often the cone-shaped heels of Italian and French dandies.

It is truly said that only millionaires can afford choice ready-made hats and bonnets. The pretty medium-priced hats are turned out by the dozen, all exactly allke. The full secret of pretty bonnets is a first-class milliner and a small quantity of tastefully-selected really fine trimmings. Home-made millinery is very apt to look home-made, when it comes from the hands of one who makes at the most four or five bonnets a year. There are some few very elever girls in New York, who go out by the day doing millinery, and they are worth their wages many times over.

The latest baby cloaks are of white cashmere, embroidered all over with clusters of fine buds, wrought in silk.

The sweetest simplicity is that which decks the little children of the rich. Most of the garments are exquisitely fine and soft and expensive, a combination that is really most desirable.

The way to make tea at the afternoon tea table was yesterday the subject of discourse by a fea dealer and an expert. "When the water in your kettle is boiling put the dry tea in your china teappat and set it on the kettle in place of its lid. When the tea is thoroughly warm and dry pour in your bolling

set it on the kettle in place of its lid. When the tea is thoroughly warm and dry pour in your boiling water and return the teapot to the top of the kettle for seven minutes. A metal teapot is ruin to tea and so is boiling."

There are few things that can be made for a fair so prolitable, so sensible and so desirable as such humble things as dish towels, roller towels, dusters and coarse lags for utility only. Kitchen holders of one sort and another are the very things that every house lady likes to have to her hand when she treats her kitchen to a visit. It gives an air of importance even to the lady who orders a leg of beef for dinner to be able to look critically at whatever cook may have in the oven.

There never was a cheap art fabric so popular and so sensible as blue denim. Immense hall cushions are couched in rope with linen thread and are very effective.

Reckening Without the Rooster.

From the Atchison Globe.

An Atchison girl with \$10 in a toy bank at home and a faithful old hen and a dozen eggs proposes to make enough money in the next two years to buy herself a horse and buggy.

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HARD LUCK AT POKER.

Illustrated by the Record of Four Jack
Pots in the Town of Boston.

From the Boston Herald,
Five young men, with more or less sporting blood coursing through their veins, were gathered in the rooms of a well-known club the other afternoon, engaged in a quiet little game of poker.
Everything went along all right until a
jack pot was announced, and hereafter
the language of the players will be used.
"I will open," said the player next to
the deale.

"I will open, said the player next to the dealer." "Two dollars harder," responded the third man, and during the progress of the game particular attention is called to the cards held by these two contestants. The requisite sum is put up by the opener and the cards called for. "Give me two," said the initiator of the trouble.

trouble.
"And I will have three," responded the other "stayer."
Now the firing began, and four blue chips are shoved to the centre of the fable

chips are shoved to the centre of the table by the first player.

"I'll raise you two," was the retort,
"Two better than you."

After considering his hand for a moment the starter said, "Two more."

"Two more." came back.
"Well, what are you doing it on."
"Three jacks."
"They are good: I went in on three sevens pat."
"It's all in the drawing, my boy," carrolled the winner, as be gathered anto himself the big stack of red, white and blue disks.

The game progressed until another Jack We have, without exception, the finest line of Hoys' Shoes made in this country to-day. Dugan & Hudson, Rochester, New York are the makers.

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THESE ARE PRIDAY AND SATURDAY The game progressed until another jack out was declared.
The winner of the first one pot was declared.

The winner of the first one was the opener this time, and the loser had made up his mind to get back some of the celluloid he had lest at the first opportunity.

"Mine are worth \$2 more," he softly

"Mine are worth \$2 more," he softly murmured.
"I will have to stay with you."
"How many cards?" asked the dealer.
"Give me one," said the raiser.
"And how many will the stayer have?"
"The same."
Then there was more trouble. The betting was continued for two or three minutes as fast as the players could count their chips and deposit them in the centre of the lable. Finally the curiosity of the second player, combined with the fear that he had fallen into another slough of bad luck, induced him to call.
"A queen full," said the first winner.
"Take the money," was the doleful reply. "I raised you on a four fittsh of hearts and drew the ace. I felt sure of winning this time."

hearts and drew the ace. I felt sure of winning this time."
"But when I saw the third lady coming to me," rejoined the fortunate winner, "I experienced a similar feeling.

After the deal had gone around four or five times there was another jack, and the only stayers were the two players already alluded to,

There was a gleam of exuitation noticeable in the eves of the player who had dropped so many of his chips to the man who sat on his left as he said, "I will open for \$2."

'How many cards will the opener

"How many cards will the opener have."

"I'll play these."

The other player took three, and the opener bet \$2.

"Two more."

"Two more than you."

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Then the opener eased up, and a cold chill began to meander down his back.

He felt he was assain bested and could do

chill began to meander down his back. He felt he was again bested and could do nothing more than call, which he did.

"Four fours," was announced.

"And I stood on a pat straight," mourned the loser.

"All I had was two little fours before the draw," was the consolation offered the fortunate player.

In a few minutes the fourt jack came around, and strange to say, the only ones who stayed in were the two who had already been pitted against each other. Again did the loser open. In his hand were two acces and two trays, while the other man held two sevens, which he drew to.

were two aces and two trays, while the other man held two sevens, which he drew to.

"One card," said the opener, and another ace fell to him, completing a full hand.

"Give me three," said the special favorite of fortune.

When he pieked them up he could hardly believe his eyes, for there were the other two sevens.

This time the battle raged with great fury. The player who had lost a little fortune was bent on evening up on this hand; but when he found there was no prospect of his getting a call the old feeling of dread that he was again going to be beaten came over him, and when he shoved his four blue chips after the dozen others he had already invested he experienced a feeling not unlike that of a sick man when the doctor tells him that his case is beyond the power of human skill.

"It is not possible that you are going to heodoo me out of another pot?" he inquired.

"Well, if you can beat four sevens I

accided me out of another four sevens I "Well, if you can beat four sevens I

will not."

"Mine is an acc full."

With the exception of saying to the banker that he would like to cash in the two white chips that still remained to him his voice has not been heard in the clab for a week past.

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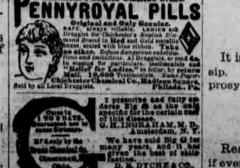
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